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## Mike Skipper Cops Hale Spelling Title

### SCHOOL BOARD MEETING POSTPONED ONE WEEK

School Superintendent Noel Johnson announced that the Abernathy School Board's regular monthly meeting, normally held the first Monday night of each month, has been set for the second Monday night in April.

Two Abernathy High School Math teachers, Curtis Davenport and Waydelle Hill, were recently awarded National Science Foundation Grants (scholarships). It was announced here early this week.

"Exquisite" was the word that decided the winner in the Hale County Spelling Bee Friday when 14 school winners met in the District Courtroom at the Courthouse in Plainview to tryout for the county championship.

Mike Skipper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy F. Skipper of Abernathy, and school winner from Abernathy Junior High, stepped into the lead when he spelled "exorbitant," the word missed by runner-up Floyd Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Farris L. Hicks, 505 West 12th Street, Plainview, and school winner from Estacado Junior High, next word, "exquisite."

Mike was declared County-champion and took the loving cup for the second straight year after he went on to spell correctly the next word, "exquisite."

County Superintendent Willie Merle Hattecock was director of the Bee, in which students from all schools in the county are given the opportunity to participate. Mike Skipper will spell in the Regional Spelling Bee in Amarillo on Saturday afternoon, April 28, at 1:15 o'clock at the Stephen F. Austin school auditorium. The winner there and his chaperon will be sent to Washington, D. C. for the week of the National Spelling Bee, June 3-9, with all expenses paid by the Amarillo Globe-News.

Joy Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hall, was runner-up in the Junior division of the spelling bee at Plainview Friday. She is a 4th grade student in Abernathy Elementary School.

### Dunn Announces Candidacy For Hale County Sheriff

Bill Dunn, a long time resident of Hale County has announced his candidacy for Sheriff of Hale County as a write-in candidate, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 5.

Mr. Dunn, a native of Greenville, Texas, served for several years as a peace officer, before moving to Plainview with his family, and became chief deputy under the late Ted Andrews when Mr. Andrews became sheriff in 1945 and served as Chief Deputy until 1953. Since that time he has been in business in Plainview and is now associated with Haynes Motor Company.

In making his announcement Mr. Dunn says that he feels that his experience as a law enforcement officer and Chief Deputy under Mr. Andrews, together with his years of business experience qualify him for all the duties of the office.

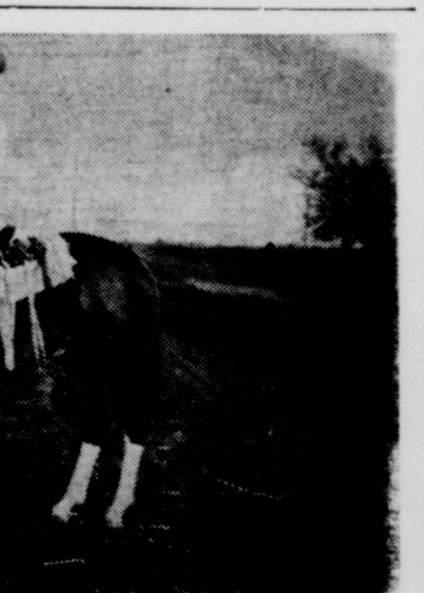
"If I am elected I will discharge all the duties of the office fairly and impartially and pledge my closest cooperation with other county officials and all other law enforcement agencies in keeping Hale County one of the most orderly counties in the State. I will attempt to contact every voter of Hale County before the primary and assure you that your support in this race will be greatly appreciated."

Several Abernathians were in Amarillo Sunday to attend the stock car races.

## Wilson Named Superintendent Of Petersburg Public Schools

J. N. (Pete) Wilson, who resigned as athletic director and girls' coach at Abernathy High School recently (to be effective at the end of the school term), has been named superintendent of the Petersburg Public Schools. In action taken in a special school board meeting at Petersburg Saturday, Wilson was awarded a two-year contract which will become effective July 1. The announcement was made by John Alford, board president.

Wilson, who was one of 41 applicants, will succeed Dr. Leo Purvis who resigned to take a similar position at Saginaw, near Fort Worth.



MISS MARY GOBLE  
Abernathy Riding Club Queen

### ADDRESSES OF EX-STUDENTS NEEDED

Joe Thompson, president of the Ex-Students Association, urges representatives of representative classes to get the names and addresses of their former classmates as soon as possible. It is hoped that all names and addresses will be completed and turned in by April 1.

It was pointed out that letters to the ex-students, inviting them to attend the 1962 Homecoming set for August 4-5, should be mailed out this next week if possible. The success of the ex-students reunion depends on how many can be notified in time for them to make plans and arrange to be here.

Don Ensey has moved from 708 3rd Street to 1208 14th Street. Susan, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rape, underwent a tonsillectomy at Taylor Clinic last Friday.

### Riding Club Takes 2nd Place In Rodeo Parade

The Abernathy Riding Club, led by their pretty queen, Mary Goble, won second place for their performance in the ABC parade at Lubbock last Wednesday afternoon.

The trophy was presented to Doyle Evans, club president, at the Grand Entry of the ABC Rodeo that evening. Abernathy Riding Club members were guest riders in the Grand Entry of the rodeo Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights.

The next parade in which the local riding club will take part will be Thursday (today) at 4 p.m. at Levelland.

The next regular meeting of the club will be held Saturday night at 7:30 at Graham's Restaurant. All members are urged to attend. Mrs. Doyle Evans, reporter.

Need an ambulance? 298-2331.



BREATHING APPARATUSES—Ed Crow, fire chief, at left, and J. L. Miller, Jr., president of the Abernathy Volunteer Fire Department, display breathing apparatuses which local firemen obtained.

### Ingenuity Aids Abernathy Firemen In Acquiring Needed Breathing Apparatuses

If you see two Abernathy firemen imitating frogmen at a future fire, don't worry, they know what they are doing.

It has been some time since city volunteer firemen first became aware of their need for self-contained breathing apparatuses in fighting fires which generate a lot of smoke. But the high cost of commercial equipment made purchase of the equipment prohibitive. By having a considerable amount of ingenuity, however, firemen have not only obtained the needed equipment, but have managed to save taxpayers over \$200.

The actual cost of both breathing apparatuses totaled only \$81.66. It is estimated that two similar units on the commercial market would cost approximately \$315. Here is how firemen saved the money: Two CO2 bottles and two parachutes were purchased at the Texas Surplus Property Agency. Each bottle was hydrostatically tested for safety purposes. The parachute harnesses were modified for use as packs to hold the bottles. Total cost of bottles and parachutes was \$32.20.

Next, Don's Dive In Shop in Lubbock was visited, and the necessary valves, gauges, air regulators and masks were purchased at a cost of \$59.46. (Fortunately,

## Lions Club Pancake Supper Set For 6 P. M. Friday

The second annual Abernathy Lions Club's Pancake Supper has been set for Friday evening, March 30, at the J. L. Irish barns on the Abernathy Gin Company lots three miles north of town.

The event will begin at 6 p.m., announced Leland Phillips, president of the local Club.

It was announced that the price

per plate will be 50 cents for "all the pancakes you can eat." Those who plan to attend the event are urged to take card tables and dominoes or cards and enjoy an evening of fellowship with "your neighbors."

In addition to furnishing the building, Mr. Irish will also furnish the majority of the utensils and silverware, etc. Various ingredients for pancakes, as well as syrup and butter, have been donated by several local firms.

Last year's event was so well accepted and attended that the Lions decided to make the Pancake Supper here an annual affair. An even larger turnout is expected this year.

### School Absentee Voting Effective Through April 3

Voters of the Abernathy Independent School District will go to the polls Saturday, April 7, to either re-elect the two incumbents whose terms expire this year, or name two new trustees.

The incumbents are Ralph Davis, currently serving as vice president of the Board, and Billie Harrison.

Superintendent of Schools Noel Johnson stated that petitions were received prior to the deadline submitting the names of J. L. Irish, C. W. Lambert and Chester Pearce.

Voting will be done in the city hall club room from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. James I. O'Neill will be the presiding election judge, and J. D. Webb will be the alternate judge.

Absentee voting began March 19 in the County Clerk's office at Plainview, and will continue through Tuesday, April 3.

Carryover Board members are: Loren J. West, president; Joe Lovelace, secretary; and members Marvin Floyd, Hugh Pettit and W. D. Sanders.

### Young Farmers Attend Field Day At Texas Tech

Several members of the local Young Farmer Chapter were among the visitors at Texas Tech Saturday for the second annual Young Farmer Field Day.

The Abernathy group, headed by Don Presley, with vocational agriculture instructor Jerry Adams as advisor, was awarded a \$15.00 check for having the largest number present.

### Local Lads Enter Animals In Stock Show At Plainview

Several Abernathy FFA and 4-H Club boys have animals entered in the annual Plainview Fat Stock Show this week. Exhibits of the local youths are among the 148 calves, 717 barrows and 191 lambs entered in the event.

Beef cattle were judged Wednesday evening, and the swine judging was slated to begin at 9 a.m. today (Thursday).

The auction sale will begin at 1 p.m. Friday. Prospective buyers and exhibitors will have a free lunch at noon, sponsored by the Plainview Fat Stock Show and the Hale County Farm Bureau.

### OES MEETS APRIL 5

A slated meeting of Abernathy Chapter No. 877, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held Thursday night, April 5.

J. C. Privett has moved to 1207 15th Street.

## Elbert Harp, Local Farmer, Named G S P A President

Elbert Harp, Hale County farmer and agricultural leader of Abernathy, was elected president of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association at the annual election of officers in Amarillo, Monday, March 26. Mr. Harp succeeds Mr. Frank Moore, Hale County agricultural leader and State ASCS representative of Plainview who has headed the 17 county sorghum producers organization for the past three years.

In suggesting that he not be re-elected, Moore pointed out the strong leadership available from the various counties served by the Association. He stated he had enjoyed the time during which he served as president and felt sorghum producers of the area had benefited greatly from the Association's three phases program. Moore remains on the Association's executive committee as Legislative Director.

Harp, an active leader in the Grain Sorghum Producers Association since its founding 7 years ago, has served on various committees in interest of sorghum producers and as secretary-treasurer for the past six years.

As a director of the U. S. Feed Grains Council, of which GSPA is a member, Harp has just returned from a visit to South America where he supervised the opening of a market development office in Bogota, Colombia; the preliminary plans for this Central

and Latin American office were laid by a survey team of which Harp was a member, two years ago.

In accepting the presidency for the ensuing year, Harp said the GSPA has only one goal and that is to build and keep a sound economy for grain sorghum producers through further implementation of the program of Research, Market Development and Service.

Thirty-five directors and interested agricultural leaders from throughout the area attended the directors meeting which was held in the Old Tascosa Room of the Herring Hotel, Amarillo.

### 2-AA Officials Meet At Tulia

Abernathy School officials met with other school representatives of District 2-AA in Tulia Wednesday to set up the 1962-63 basketball schedule.

Noel Johnson, Abernathy School Superintendent, who was recently named temporary chairman, presided. Others from Abernathy in attendance were a High School Principal, Ralph Stevenson, Coach Wayne Preston and Coach Sherley Oswalt. The group met in the Tulia Public Schools Board Room.

Other member schools of the newly aligned District 2-AA are Tulia, Canyon, Lockney and Floydada.

## Band Enters Region Meet

Saturday is the big contest day of the year for the Antelope Band; at 2:30 p.m. in the Monterey High School Auditorium, 128 Abernathy High School band members will play their best in attempting to win their sixth straight Sweepstakes. Right-reading is set for 3:00 o'clock.

Band director Everett Maxwell stated that selections chosen by the band this year are: Grandioso March, Sequoia, and North Sea Overture. Student conductors who will try for top ratings are Peggy Davis and Neil Davidson.

The band scored First Division in marching in November, and needs to make a superior rating in both playing and sightreading to win the Sweepstakes award. Nine other bands in Class AA will be competing for ratings. Lockney, Spur, Morton, Post, Muleshoe, Tahoma, Slaton, Olton and Floydada.

Future activities for the Antelope Band include the annual concert on Sunday, May 6, and a trip to the Buccaneer Music Festival at Corpus Christi May 10-12.

## Cleatus L. Dyer Is Candidate For Hale County Sheriff

Cleatus L. Dyer is a candidate for Hale County Sheriff subject to the Democratic Primary of May 5.

Dyer, a deputy sheriff in this county the past several years, will be a write-in candidate in the First Primary of May 5 to succeed the late Sheriff Ted Andrews.

Dyer became a deputy for Sheriff Andrews on July 1, 1947. At the time of Sheriff Andrews' death about two weeks ago he had served as chief deputy eight and one-half years.

Dyer, a resident at Hale Center before moving to Plainview, came to Hale County in 1939 and has resided in the county since that time with the exception of more than two years which he spent in the Army in World War II.

In making the announcement of his candidacy, Dyer pointed out that his law enforcement experience began with working routine assignments and eventually included administrative duties along with duties outside the office.

"I was trained by what I and many officers consider one of the most capable sheriffs in West Texas law enforcement history," Dyer said.

"I would consider it a great honor to succeed Sheriff Andrews and if elected will do my best to give the people of Hale County the kind of law enforcement they want and respect. I will appreciate very much your vote and support in my campaign."

The write-in vote for sheriff is necessary because the post did not become vacant with the death of Sheriff Andrews until after the deadline for filing for places on the printed ballot.

The two candidates receiving the top vote counts, if no one receives a majority, will represent the parties in the Second Primary in June. The nominees of the parties, if there are more than one party represented in the vote, will oppose each other in the general election in November.

The candidate will be elected for the completion of Sheriff Andrews' term in office which will end December 31, 1964.

## Bowling News

Bowlers of the Week at A-1 Lanes for the week of March 19-24 were:

Class B—Bobby McAllister, 657; and Georgia Brantley, 601.

Class A—Vernon Rogers, 705; and Eria Lee Evans, 664.

A "bowl-off" to determine the Bowlers of the Month will be held at 8:30 Saturday night at A-1 Lanes.

The Ladies House Tournament at A-1 Lanes, slated for last weekend, was postponed until a later date, yet to be announced.

Men's League Awards Awards will be presented tonight (Thursday). All teams with full membership present will roll a Team Sweeper immediately after the presentations. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harra are donating free bowling to all Major league bowlers in the event.

## Voters To Name 3 Aldermen In City Election Tuesday

Seven names are to appear on the April 3 city election ballot when Abernathy voters select 3 aldermen. The retiring aldermen, whose names are not on the ticket, are Bobby McAllister, Dr. John W. Hale and Lon Carmickle.

Those whose names will be on the ballot are Carl Barton, J. A. Bruce, Edgar Graham, A. B. Myatt, W. T. Settle, J. Pete Thompson and Dan Z. Ward.

Barton is local manager for Pioneer Natural Gas Company. Bruce owns and operates a furni-

ture store. Graham, a former alderman and mayor, owns Graham's Restaurant, Myatt, Settle and Thompson are farmers. Ward is a former alderman and mayor.

Absentee balloting began March 25, and will end March 31.

The election, April 3, will be in the city hall club room. Mrs. Lamar McKenzie will be presiding judge, assisted by J. D. Webb, Mrs. George Ragland and Mrs. R. A. McAllister.

### FREE TRANSPORTATION TO THE POLLS

By O. F. REA

If you are a widow and have a poll tax receipt or are of exemption age and desire to vote in the coming city election and have no transportation, you are urged to contact J. B. Anderson or Bob Littleton who will see that you get to the polls on election day, April 3. You are under no obligation to them and may vote as you wish and be transported back home at no charge to you. J. B. Anderson, phone 298-2749 and Bob Littleton, phone 298-2412.

## Local Co-op Leaders Attend School At A & M

Neft Turner, manager of Consumer's Fuel Association and Leonard Phillips, manager of Abernathy Co-op Gin, have returned from a trip to College Station. They attended a four day school for directors and managers of farm cooperatives.

The school, held on the campus of Texas A & M College, opened March 19 thru 22. Both managers and directors were schooled in their duties and responsibilities.

Ninety-two men registered for the school to set a high record. This makes nine years the school has been held.

## Sewing Center To Open Here

Mrs. H. T. (Si) Peters and Mrs. Tom Hernandez announce the opening Monday, April 2, of Abernathy Sewing Center, 902 Avenue D. The new service firm is in the Zeman Building, between Marvin Struve Grocery and C. C. Tuyen's Home Furnishings Company.

Mrs. Hernandez and Mrs. Peters have been employed the past few years at Lon Cleaners. For further details on services offered by Abernathy Sewing Center, see the ad on page two in this paper.

### OPEN HOUSE APRIL 8

Tot Allen Drive-In, on Avenue D at First Place in 2-1/2th Abernathy, is to hold an Open House Sunday, April 8, to introduce their new business. Everyone is invited to inspect the Drive-In, which has facilities to serve over 40 people inside, as well as offering service at the drive-in window. Free coffee and doughnuts will be served Sunday April 8, and there will be favors for the children. They will open for regular service Monday April 9.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mullins Jr., of Abernathy are parents of a daughter born March 24. She weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smith are parents of a son born March 27. The boy weighed 8 pounds.



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**AHS STUDENTS ARE HONORED**

By HENRY NORTHCUTT  
The Students of the Week, who were chosen by the AHS faculty, this week are as follows:

- Senior — Lawson Hager
- Junior — Joyce Spruiell
- Sophomore — Ronald Floyd
- Freshman — Fredrick Benn

Lawson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hager. He was born July 10, 1944 at Stamford, Texas, and has lived here for 12 years. His father is employed at the Shamrock Oil and Gas Company plant here.

Lawson is a four-year member of the Antelope Band. He also plays in the Pep Band. He is one of the members of the newly organized high school golf team at AHS. After graduation from high school, he plans to attend college and major in music.

Joyce, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Spruiell, was born October 4, 1944 at Tahoka. She and

her parents have lived here for 19 years. Her father is a farmer.

Joyce is a member of the Antelope Band, the National Honor Society, and the Pep Band. She likes to play the piano and likes to draw. She plans to attend Bethany Nazarene College in Oklahoma and become a missionary after graduation from high school.

Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Floyd of County Line. He was born May 16, 1946, at Floydada, and has lived here for about 11 years. His father is a farmer and is a member of the local School Board.

This year at school, Ronald was on the "B" team in basketball; he participates in track, and is a member of the Antelope Band and the local FFA Chapter.

Fredrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Benn, was born September 3, 1946, in Lubbock and has lived here all his life. His father is a farmer.

Fredrick is a member of the Antelope Band and the FFA Chapter. He was on the freshman basketball team and also plays tennis.

**March 31 Is Final Deadline For Grain Signing**

Corn and grain sorghum producers must decide soon whether or not they will participate in the 1962 Feed Grain program, reminds C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist. March 31 is the deadline date for declaring intent to comply and notice must be given in writing to the County ASCS before that date.

Bates points out that non-cooperators may plant all the corn or grain sorghum acreage they wish and the grain produced may be either fed or marketed. If it is sold it will bring only the market price since no government support price can be obtained. They can get support prices for oats, however, if this grain is placed under loan.

Growers who do comply must divert at least 20 percent of their feed grain base into conservation use. For this land they will receive payment equal to 50 percent of normal production. In addition, as cooperators they will be eligible for price supports on the normal production from reduced acreage.

Producers who need assistance in figuring the possible effects of the program on their net farm income should see their county agent, says Bates. County agents have copies of budget forms which can be used to figure alternatives and how the decisions may affect net profit from grain.

Other factors may also influence decisions in some areas of the state. These include soil moisture conditions at planting time, availability of acreage of other cash crops, amount of production capital available, need for home produced grain in conducting the livestock portion of the business and the outlook for grain prices in the months ahead.

**Attend District Meeting**  
The City Garden Club sent five representatives of the Club to the District I Meeting and the Texas Tech Short Course, Tuesday, March 20. Those attending were Mes. H. H. Selke, J. M. Gardner, S. R. Jackson, Orval Weeks and Floyd Shipman, they also attended the luncheon that followed.

**County Line Chit Chats**

Mrs. A. H. Klafka went to Fort Worth Wednesday evening to be with her daughter, Mrs. Glen Avery, whose daughter underwent surgery Thursday morning. Mrs. Klafka returned home Friday bringing with her Mrs. Avery's three other children.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Conn, their children and Buford's mother, visited Mr. and Mrs. Daphne Conn and family of Lovington, N. M., last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Blackmon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blackmon at Ropesville Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Goodrich is recuperating in her home after a stay of several days in the hospital. She returned home Thursday.

Guests in the A. H. Klafka home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Avery of Whitthrel and Mrs. Elsie Avery of Causey, N. M.

Huell Brandon of Bentonville, Ark., was a weekend guest in the A. T. Mallow home. Mrs. Brandon is Mrs. Mallow's brother. Mr. and Mrs. Mallow and family visited Mrs. Bama Brandon in Lubbock Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Connell, Carol Ann and Mrs. W. E. Connell spent last week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Barrick of El Paso. Wendell is stationed there. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jones are visiting relatives in Valley Mills, Clifton and Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Newton were hosts in their home Sunday night for young couples from their church in Shallowater. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Meses. Joe Frank Clark and children, Allen Ray Hood and Paula and Verlon Barron and children.

The Lloyd Givens were honored with a reception Sunday, March 18, in the home of the Robert Howards, 3503 42nd Street, Lubbock, in celebration of their 28th wedding anniversary. A number of friends from Abernathy attended.

**THANK YOU NOTE**  
Our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for the flowers, food and other acts of kindness extended us during the past several weeks when various members of our family have been hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Adams

**News About Men In Service**

U. S. Forces, Germany—Army Pvt. J. W. Leatherwood, whose wife, Jane, lives in Petersburg, participated in Winter Trial, a six-day Seventh Army medical field training exercise in Germany which ended March 3.

The exercise was designed to test evacuation and treatment procedures under simulated field combat conditions. Leatherwood and other participating Seventh Army personnel help provide medical support for NATO forces in Europe.

Leatherwood, a cook in the 517th Medical Company in Bad Kreuznach, Germany, entered the Army in September 1961 and received basic combat training at Fort Carson, Colo. He arrived overseas last month.

He was graduated from New Deal High School in 1960 and was employed by Parks and Recreation Department, Lubbock, before entering the Army. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Leatherwood, live on Route 1, Idalou.

**Local Students Are Pledges At NTSU**

Denton—Morris Jack Ingram and Harold G. Thompson of Abernathy are among 203 spring semester pledges to the 10 social fraternities at North Texas State University.

Ingram, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill J. Ingram, Abernathy, pledged Sigma Nu. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe O. Thompson, 1001 1st Street, Abernathy, Thompson pledged Sigma Nu also.

Dr. M. F. Priddy had a light case of measles early last week.

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Mrs. Lewis Stambaugh came here from El Paso for a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Phillips and family. Mrs. Hugh Pettit underwent surgery Thursday in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock.



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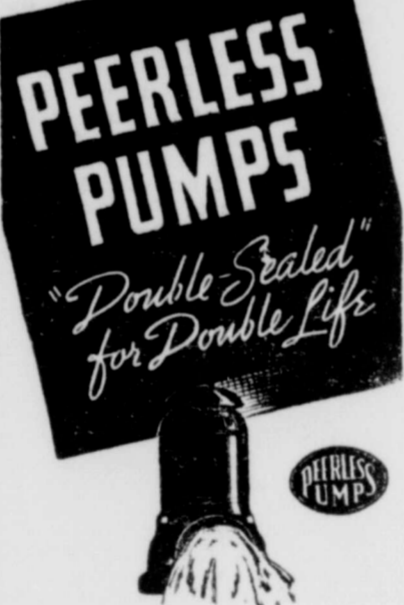
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The Church of Christ of Abernathy was granted a building permit and will move a building onto the already purchased lots on Jerome Street to be used for the Spanish Church of Christ. A permit was also granted for a storage building on these same lots.

James A. Bruce was granted a permit to add two rooms and a garage, and to brick the entire house at 507 Avenue F.

**SHIPMAN INSURANCE AGENCY**

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**1957 Study Club**

The 1957 Study Club met at 2:30 p.m. March 29 in the city hall club room with eight members present.

The members made pictures from drapery material.

The hostess, Mrs. Bobby Lewis, served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. Pete Knox, Larry Griffin, Dan Blanchard, Harold Stillwell, Bobby Young, Vanoy Parsons and Richard Havens.

The next club meeting will be held April 3 in Lubbock. Members will meet at 1:30 p.m. in front of Abernathy City Hall, and leave from there in a group.

Mrs. Richard Havens, Reporter

Visiting the Elmo Matejowskys last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stewart, A/IC Dale Matejowsky and his friend, A/IC John M. Klega, whose home is in Phillipsburg, New Jersey. Both are stationed at the Air Base at San Angelo.

**News From The First Baptist Church**

**Training Union Emphasis**  
This week, we have been studying improvement methods for Training Union. Closing meeting Thursday (tonight) at 7:30. Leading in this work is Mr. Ralph Edwards and six workers from Calvary Baptist Church, Lubbock.

**Mission**  
The work on the Latin-American Mission building is progressing nicely. The men are working before and after regular jobs and between water-changing on the building.

**Drama Festival**  
The "Southwide Drama Festival" will be held at First Baptist Church, Lubbock March 29, 30 and 31. A detailed program is on the bulletin board outside the church office.

**Youth Fellowship**  
A youth fellowship was held following the evening service, March 25. A good group of young people attended.

**Church Picnic**  
A church picnic has been planned for this coming Monday, April 2 at the Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada.

Visitors in the homes of Anton Wolff and Elmo Matejowsky this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wolff and son of Nechanits and Harry Wolff of Houston.



**ATTENDING ASSEMBLY**—The Rev. Ramon Solis, pastor of the Spanish Nazarene Mission in Abernathy, and his wife are attending the annual Assembly in San Antonio this week. He recently received a unanimous vote to serve as pastor for the new assembly year. Members of the Solis family above, from left, are Mrs. Solis, their son, Ramon, 10, daughter, Sandra, 12, and the Rev. Ramon Solis.

Maxwell Fitzgerald is owner of a 2-bedroom residence being constructed on 4th Street, between Avenue F and G.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Brownlow have moved to their new farm home on FM 597, east of Abernathy.

**1935 STUDY CLUB**

Mrs. John Hale was hostess to the 1935 Study Club March 22.

The following members were present: Mmes. R. R. Struve, Doyle Oswald, Arno Struve, Paul Noland, Waldo Cox, Thomas Johnson, J. C. Mills, E. A. Houston, R. A. McAlister, W. V. Cunningham, J. L. Miller Jr., Ray Pinson and the hostess.

A very interesting program was given. Mrs. Doyle Oswald gave a brief introduction to "Finnish Culture." Mrs. R. A. McAlister described the "Educational System in England" and Mrs. Waldo Cox talked on "Sibelius—Musical Giant of Finland," then played the record of "Finlandia," music which was composed by Sibelius. A delicious refreshment plate was served and a social hour followed.

The 1935 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Fred Blumenstock March 8.

The study on Finland was continued as Mrs. Arno Struve discussed "Economic Resources and Industrial Developments in Finland." Mrs. E. A. Houston described the "Forests—Finland's Green Gold," and "Finland's Need For Trade with the West to Counteract Russian Economic Pressure" was given by Mrs. Ray Pinson.

A social hour followed the program. Those present at the club meeting were: Mmes. Waldo Cox, J. W. Harris, Paul Noland, John Hale, Arno Struve, John L. Haral, R. A. McAlister, E. A. Houston, Dan Ward, Frank Lovelace, W. V. Cunningham, Erroll Givens, Doyle Oswald, R. R. Struve, Ray Pinson and the hostess.

T. E. Lutrick reports a heavy lamb crop this year, with near seventy-five percent of the ewes producing twin lambs. "Usually a big lamb crop means a dry weather year," said the pioneer Lakeview farmer.

Hale County clerk issued a marriage license to James Earl Manus of Abernathy and Miss Clara Mae Sanders of Hale Center.

A new home is under construction on 15th Street at Avenue F for the Ted Hill family.

The Glen M. Hammonds of Abernathy and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen O. Hammond of Kremlin, Okla., who were visiting here, spent several days in El Paso last week.

**Spanish Nazarene Mission Reports Reflect Progress**

District Superintendent, Rev. Everette D. Howard presided in the local Spanish Nazarene Mission's annual meeting. The reports from church officers were given, the election of new officers was held, and pastor call was made.

The pastor of the church, the Rev. Ramon Solis, informed that the local church raised close to \$3,000 for all purposes this year. A true sign of progress for a Spanish church. His record Sunday school attendance was 126, and the all-time record attendance is 200. His vacation Bible School enrollment was 130. The mission's giving for domestic and foreign missions was \$200.

Pastor Solis expressed his appreciation to the First Methodist Church and the Nazarene Church for their special interest in the work and to the other friends who have held a vital interest in this work started by Mrs. Lillie Slemmons. Also he is grateful for the local church's unanimous vote as pastor for the new year.

Brother Solis and his wife have been affiliated with the district for the past fifteen years; he is District Secretary, and she is District President of the Missionary Society. Their previous assignment was the start of the Spanish Mission in Odessa, where the work is established. They pastored there for three years. They are attending their annual Assembly this week in San Antonio with a good delegation from their church here.

**Engagement Is Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Duncan of Shallowater announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Robbie, to Sherrill Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lambert of Abernathy.

The wedding will be performed June 16 in the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Duncan is a graduate of Shallowater High School and is now attending Jessie Lee's Hair Design Institute. Her fiancé is a graduate of Abernathy High School and attended Texas Tech and Midwestern University at Wichita Falls. He is presently employed by KCBD-TV, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Chapman returned from Duncan, Okla., Monday. They spent several days there with his mother, Mrs. J. P. Mitchell, 90, who is ill.

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<b>VERMONT MAID 24 Oz. Bottle Buttered Syrup</b> 59¢	<b>UPPER MARKET</b>	
<b>FRESH PRODUCE</b>	<b>KOUNTY KIST CORN</b> Vacuum Packed	<b>12-Oz. Cans 2 for 29¢</b>
<b>MEXICO SUGAR LOAF PINEAPPLE</b> each 25¢	<b>BIG MIKE DOG FOOD</b> 6 for 49¢	
<b>FLORIDA RUBY RED GRAPEFRUIT</b> 5 Lb. Bag 49¢	<b>SOAKY FUN BATH</b> 59¢	
<b>FRESH GREEN AVACADOS</b> 3 for 25¢	<b>CHUCK WAGON Briquettes</b> 10 Lb. Bag 69¢	
<b>COMMERCIAL RUSSET POTATOES</b> 10 Lb. Bag 39¢	<b>GIANT FAB DETERGENT</b> 65¢	
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<b>PORK STEAK</b> . . . Lb. 39¢	<b>FROZEN FOOD</b>	
<b>BOLOGNA</b> . . . . . Lb. 29¢	<b>FISHER BOY 8 Oz. Pkg. Fish Sticks</b> 4 for \$1.	
<b>ARM STEAK</b> . . . . . Lb. 55¢	<b>BOOTH'S 12 Oz. Pkg. Breaded Catfish</b> 59¢	
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# Red Cross Prepares For Tornado Disaster Season

With the approaching spring season of tornadoes and floods in the Midwest, Red Cross disaster preparedness is of prime concern in the 252 Red Cross chapters in Texas. Philip Schenkenberg, manager, Midwestern area, of St. Louis, said in a special report on Red Cross Disaster Services. While tornado disasters occur throughout the year, the next few months are considered the period of greatest danger.

Mr. Schenkenberg said tornadoes last year killed 15 persons and injured 440 in the nation. They also destroyed or damaged over 10,000 dwellings. Since tornadoes can strike in any part of Texas this year, the Red Cross and the Weather Bureau suggest the following preparedness steps as a means of lessening loss of life, personal injury, and property damage:

1. The safest place is a storm cellar, cave, or underground excavation with an air outlet.
  2. In open country—Move at right angles to the tornado's path. Tornadoes usually move ahead at about 25 to 40 miles per hour.
  3. In town—Stay off the streets, preferably in a steel or otherwise reinforced building, but away from windows.
  4. In homes—The southwest corner of the basement usually offers greater safety. Open north and east windows to equalize pressure and, if time permits, turn off electrical power and fuel lines. If there is no basement, lie down in the nearest ditch or depression.
- Mr. Schenkenberg said that last year 473 disasters and emergencies of disaster type were handled by Red Cross chapters in

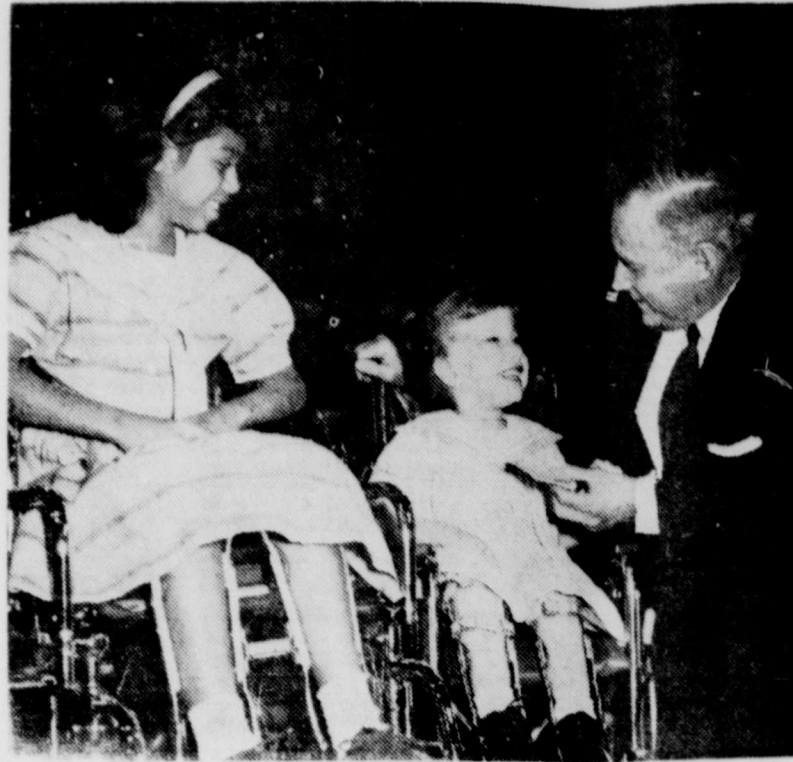
Texas. He added that Hurricane Carla along the Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coast last September caused one of the greatest peacetime mass evacuations in history. Advanced planning made possible the opening of 656 Red Cross shelters, housing 306,103 evacuees. Over 386,000 disaster sufferers were given emergency mass care while an additional 33,000 emergency workers were also served. Over 5½ million dollars has been spent through Red Cross to alleviate the suffering of these victims and to provide long-term rehabilitation aid.

All Red Cross disaster aid is based on need rather than loss and is in the form of outright grants provided by the contributions from the public through local chapters.

In regard to the possibility of serious flooding this spring, Mr. Schenkenberg suggested that residents closely follow Weather Bureau bulletins and if homes are threatened, evacuation should take place immediately, in order to save personal belongings and reduce the threat of injury. If your car becomes stalled in a flooded area, leave it immediately and wade to high ground. Do not permit family members to remain with the car while you go for help.

Unfortunately, no amount of preparedness can prevent natural or man-made disasters, but a full-scale plan for coordination of all resources available speeds relief efforts and guards against needless loss of life and property.

Mr. Schenkenberg emphasized, however, that although Red Cross is prepared to provide aid, communities throughout the state must also prepare by serving as Red Cross volunteers and by supporting Red Cross in their March campaign or federated fund goals.



GOVERNOR PRICE DANIEL recently presented his personal contribution to patients of the Texas Rehabilitation Center at Gonzales to help keep the Center in operation. The Governor urged all Texans to join with him in assisting the state's disabled citizens by mailing contributions to TRC, Box 58, Gonzales, Texas. Directors of TRC have said they will be forced to close the rehabilitation center unless sufficient funds are received within the next two weeks.

## GOP Sets Up Hale Primary Voting Places

The Hale County Republican Executive Committee last week set up polling places for the party in this county for the first primary which is scheduled May 5.

The GOP vote will be in precinct 1, Lamar school, with Mrs. Lewis Kiker Jr., chairman; precinct 3, Petersburg, at the residence of Joe S. Jackson, chairman; precinct 8, Highland school, Rex Jordan, chairman.

Precinct 10, College Hill school, Ralph Nafziger, chairman; precinct 11, Lakeview on the ballot, O. A. Tooker, chairman; precinct 12, Halfway, J. P. Senter, chairman, voting place to be determined, but to be in Halfway, and precinct 14, Edmonson, D. C. Kimball, chairman, voting place to be determined.

June Rawlins for Hale County clerk and Hal Kirchoff for Hale County judge are the local GOP candidates. The committee drew for placing names of state and district candidates on the ballot. Plans for the precinct convention on May 5 and the county convention on May 12 were discussed at the Monday night session presided over by Bob Castleberry, county chairman.

The committee voted to invite Jack Cox, candidate for governor of Texas on the Republican ticket, to Plainview for a speaking engagement. Arrangements for the appearance are to be completed.

Present for the meeting were Castleberry, Mrs. C. D. Wofford, president of the Hale County Republican Women; Mrs. Ralph Nafziger, county treasurer; Mrs. Lewis Kiker, Dan Kimball, Land Wall, Preston Senter, Ralph Nafziger, Joe Jackson, precinct chairmen.

A sign in the gift shop read, "For the man who has everything: a calendar to remind him when the payments are due."

## News About Men In Service

U. S. Forces, Germany—Army PFC James C. Gist, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Gist, Abernathy, participated in Winter Trial, a six-day Seventh Army medical field training exercise in Germany which ended March 3.

The exercise was designed to test evacuation and treatment procedures under simulated field combat conditions. Gist and other participating Seventh Army personnel help provide medical support for NATO forces in Europe.

Gist, a medical specialist in the 12th Medical Company in Baumholder, Germany, entered the Army in August 1960 and received basic combat training at Fort Hood. He arrived overseas last September.

The 19-year-old soldier attended Abernathy High School and was employed by Waples Platter Co. before entering the Army.

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir:  
I am sending the enclosed letter to the people of your community in hopes that you will be able to publish it soon in your paper. Your newspaper is the only way by which we can publicly thank every individual in your community for the help and contributions they have made in the fight against cancer.

The cancer patients of your community, and I as representative of the American Cancer Society for this district, join together in expressing our sincere appreciation to you for the help you have given in this fight against cancer.

Yours truly,  
Carl F. Page, M. D.

To The People of Hale County (Printed in part)

Dear Friends:  
On behalf of the Texas Division of the American Cancer Society I would like to take this means of expressing to you, the people of Hale County, the sincere thanks and appreciation of every victim of cancer in our state as well as in the nation for the help you gave them during this past year. Without your prayers, your work for the Cancer Society, and your donations many people of our community who are alive today would not be.

Your help provided dressings for those who were unable to buy them themselves, new drugs were found through research to stop new kinds of cancer, new methods diagnosing cancer at an earlier stage, new methods of treatment both through surgery, X-ray, and chemical means by which more people with cancer may be saved.

Your donations also help greatly in producing educational materials which were and have been distributed throughout the country telling the people of the seven signs of cancer. It is imperative that this educational program continue at an ever increasing rate in order that every person in your community and throughout the country may know what to look for as signs and symptoms of cancer.

It is not the purpose of the Cancer Society to scare anyone. Just the reverse, the entire purpose is to get information out to you the people so that if a symptom of cancer should develop you would recognize it and go to your doctor immediately. As you know, most cancer is cured when the patient gets to the doctor early. These people will not get to their doctors, however, unless they recognize the signs and symptoms suggestive of something being wrong.

Because of the help that you and others have given, 173,000 Americans will be saved from cancer this year. About 87,000 patients will die of cancer because they were not diagnosed early enough and could not receive treatment in time.

Won't you give again this year more of your time and money to fight this dread disease? Help your neighbors and yourself by contacting Mr. Don Mouser, 602 Broadway, Plainview, or a state chairman of your local cancer unit. There is a job that you can do.

"But Reverend," the parishioner told the parson, "in church you always tell us that salvation is as free as water."

"It is Scottie, it is," the parson said, "but when we pipe it to you, you have to pay for the piping."

## Texas Traffic Deaths In 1961 Totaled 2,314

The Texas Department of Public Safety has officially closed the 1961 traffic "death book," and reported that last year 60 more persons died in Texas than in 1960.

The motorcade total was 2,314, as compared to 2,254 in 1960, or an increase of 3 percent.

The report, prepared by the Department's Statistical Services, indicated that although the number of motorcade deaths increased, the death rate—the number of deaths per 100,000,000 miles traveled—decreased from 4.9 to 4.8, the lowest rate on record in Texas. In 1961, Texans traveled 47.9 billion miles, or 3.42 percent more miles than they did in 1960.

In addition to the 2,314 deaths, in 1961 there were an estimated 132,570 injuries sustained in 324, 149 motor vehicle accidents.

On an average, last year in Texas traffic, a person was killed every three hours and forty-seven minutes, and a traffic accident occurred every 97 seconds.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., Director of the DPS, said:

"It is a sobering thought to realize that the number of persons killed on Texas streets and highways was greater than the populations of most Texas towns, and that the number of injuries was more than the population of Lubbock. When the economic loss resulting from traffic accidents in 1961—over 356 million dollars—is added to these losses, the problem we face in only too apparent."

"Texans must accept the challenge posed by these figures. The best way to do this is for every driver to obey the traffic laws, because in almost every accident at least one violation is involved."

The largest increase in the number of deaths in 1961 over the previous three year average was 20.7 in Lubbock County.

## Political Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 5, 1962:

### HALE COUNTY

For Representative 89th Legislative District:  
CHARLIE DURNING  
H. G. WELLS  
Re-Election

For District Judge, 64th Judicial District (Including Hale, Castro and Swisher Counties):  
JAMES A. JOY,  
1st elective term.  
JOE L. COX

For Judge of Hale County:  
C. L. ABERNETHY  
1st elective term  
MRS. J. W. WALKER

For County Treasurer:  
HAROLD MARTIN  
W. J. B. (Bill) GOULDY,  
1st elective term.

For County Clerk:  
MILDRED TUCKER, Re-election  
TOMMIE JOHNSON

For Hale County School Superintendent:  
MRS. WILLIE MERLE  
HAITHCOCK, Re-election

For Sheriff, Hale County:  
CLEATUS L. DYER,  
Write-In Candidate  
BILL DUNN  
Write-In Candidate  
ARTIE NIVENS  
Write-In Candidate

LUBBOCK COUNTY

For State Representative, Place 3, Lubbock County:  
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FOR SALE—Guernsey milk cow with white-face baby calf. Been fresh 10 days. See 3½ miles north of Lakeview Church (Church on FM 54). G. E. Myatt, Rt. 2, Petersburg. (4-5-c)

FOR SALE—One 8" Turbine Pump—One 6" Turbine Pump. Both pumps good condition—DRIVE SHAFT GUARDS. Fits all installations—SIGHT OIL LEVEL GAUGES for motor crank case. BILL WOLF AND SONS IRRIGATION AND SUPPLY Phone 298-2114 Abernathy (Continued on Page 7)

## 4-H Club News

The Abernathy 4-H Club met Thursday night, March 29 in Abernathy City Club Room. Steve Johnson, president called on Clark Riley to lead the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Beth Goheen led the 4-H Club Pledge and Motto. Rosetta Wilson read the minutes of the last meeting.

Mrs. Johnson gave a report of proceeds from the concessions at the Abernathy Project Show. Rodney Huffaker gave a report on the Lubbock Fat Stock Show. Lonnie Bartlett gave a report on the Abernathy Project Show. Richard Montgomery gave a report on the Houston show. Mrs. Struve then showed a film, "Gardens."

Following a game, led by Beth Goheen and Smitty Covey, Mrs. Johnson served refreshments. Lonnie Bartlett, reporter.

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| <b>Bacon</b> Farm Pac 2 Lbs.           | <b>98¢</b>        |
| <b>Coffee</b> FOLGER'S                 | <b>lb. 59¢</b>    |
| <b>10 Pounds</b>                       | <b>79¢</b>        |
| <b>Oleo</b> KIMBELLS & GOLDEN          | <b>2 lbs. 39¢</b> |
| <b>TIDE Giant</b>                      | <b>75¢</b>        |
| <b>Fruit Cocktail</b> DEL MONTE No. 2½ | <b>35¢</b>        |
| <b>3-Min. Oats</b> large               | <b>39¢</b>        |
| <b>Tomato Soup</b> CAMPBELLS           | <b>2 for 21¢</b>  |
| <b>Tall Milk</b>                       | <b>2 for 27¢</b>  |
| <b>Miracle Whip</b> quart              | <b>49¢</b>        |
| <b>Post Tens</b>                       | <b>39¢</b>        |
| <b>Mellorine</b> PLAINS ½ gal.         | <b>39¢</b>        |
| <b>Kimbell's Biscuits</b>              | <b>3 for 25¢</b>  |
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### Church Drama Festival To Be Held In Lubbock

NASHVILLE—A church drama festival will be held at First Baptist Church, Lubbock, Texas, March 29-31. It is sponsored by the Church Recreation Service, Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville.

The purpose of the festival is to acquaint churches with the value of drama as an unexcelled method in Christian education.

Dramatic calls to worship will be given by Lubbock's Calvary Baptist and Arnett-Benson Baptist churches. Olivet, Oklahoma City, will present the play "The Forgotten Man," First, Clovis, N. M., "Simon the Leper" and Second, Lubbock, "The Black Sheep." First Church, Brownfield will also present a one-act play.

Discussions and demonstrations will be used to emphasize the place of drama in the total educational program of the church, drama on a shoestring, directing the church play, storytelling, drama just for fun, and material resources.

A special feature will be eight hours of workshop in creative dramatics for those who work with children ages, 6-12.

### Baker Distributes Republic Of Texas Money In Campaign

Facsimile \$5 Republic of Texas banknotes, printed on parchment so crinkly and genuine looking that Sam Houston would have accepted it at face value without a second glance, made their appearance throughout the state last week as part of senator Robert Baker's race for lieutenant governor.

An announcement from Baker's Dallas headquarters said 100,000 of the unique banknotes will be distributed during the next six weeks, being offered to Baker's supporters through county campaign headquarters and chairmen throughout Texas.

Baker confidently predicted that he would be in the run-off election with "the candidate who has already committed himself to a state-

### Cub Scout Pack 481 Meets Here

Abernathy Cub Scout Pack 481 held its monthly meeting Monday night. The theme for the month was "Island of the World."

Cubmaster Glen Hammond reported that a very impressive flag ceremony was conducted by Den 6. A match-box relay game was played and the boys from Den 2 were the winners.

Mrs. Settle's Den 4 retained the attendance plaque for having the greatest percentage of boys and parents present. Announcements were made and a discussion was held on methods of securing a higher boy-parent participation at Pack meetings.

Most of the Dens presented Den Skits containing information from various islands around the world.

**Awards**  
The following boys received awards:  
New Bobcats — Paul Coombes and Johnny Pace.

Wolf Badges—Jackie McLaughlin, Teddy Blanchard, Jim Forbes and Keith Lambert. Lynn Gullett was awarded one gold arrowpoint and four silver arrowpoints on the Wolf rank.

Bear Rank—Benny Pope received one gold arrowpoint and two silver arrowpoints, and Lynn Gullett received one gold arrowpoint.

Lion Badges—Benny Pope received his Lion badge along with one gold arrowpoint and four silver arrowpoints.

Webelos—The Pack's first Webelos Badge was awarded to J. C. Goble.

One-Year Pins — Leslie Teaff, Teddy Bradshaw, Gary Goble and James Overstreet.

Two-Year Pin—Don Blanchard. Three-Year Pin—Lynn Vaughan.

One-Year Pins — Mrs. R. R. Struve, Den Mother of Den 6, and Glen Hammond, Cubmaster.

wide special interest group," and that he would win the runoff because he has made no commitments to any group or organization and will be free to serve the voters to the best of his ability and his 10-years' experience in the Legislature.

The Boy Scout Movement is to be found in all free nations of the world.

### Local Junior High Boys Win 3-School Track Meet Here

Abernathy was host Friday for a three-team Junior High track meet. Teams from Abernathy, Kress and Hale Center were entered in the event.

Abernathy lads, coached by Bob-Dyess, compiled a total of 108½ points to take first place, while Kress took second with 93½, and Hale Center came in third with 52.

Abernathy won second place in the 440-yard relay with a time of 53.5. Members of the team are Larry Gist, Roy Resendes, Felix Saucedo and Lane Wade.

Other Abernathy lads placing in the events were:  
100-Yard Dash—Pat Hale, 2nd, 11.9; Lane Wade, 3rd; Gary Phillips, 4th.

75-Yard Dash—Lane Wade and Teddy Bradshaw, tie for 2nd, 8.8; 50-Yard Dash—Pat Hale in tie for 1st, 5.9.

100-Yard Low Hurdles—Roy Resendes, 3rd, 13.9; Rondall Preston, tie for 4th, 14.0.

220-Yard Dash — Teddy Bradshaw, 2nd, 26.0.  
660-Yard Run—Perfecto, 2nd, 1:45.6.

**Field Events**  
Broad Jump—Hale, 2nd, 17' 2"; Wade, 3rd, 16' 8½".

High Jump—Tommy Hunley, 1st, 4' 9 3/4"; Hale, tie for 4th, 4' 8". Shot Put—Larry Crowder, 3rd, 35' 1".

Discus—Crowder, 2nd, 82' 6"; Bobby Faver, 3rd, 76' 9"; and Jimmy Franklin, 4th, 73' 7".

### New Deal Cubs Hold Pack Meeting

New Deal Cub Scout Pack 497 held its monthly meeting Monday night at the Community Club House.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Ward Carrol. The secretary's report on the Scoutorama at Lubbock was given. Ticket sales by New Deal Cubs totaled 126.05.

Thirteen boys won handkerchief slides for selling at least \$5.00 worth of tickets, and two boys won knives.

New membership cards for 1962 were distributed.

A motion was made to have the next Pack meeting on April 23, and the time was changed to 8 p.m. That meeting will be Charter Night and Inspection Night.

All present enjoyed rocket races, the Cubs having made their own rockets. Gary Stephenson was the winner in Den 1; Johnny Carrol was the Den 2 winner; R. J. Darty won in Den 3 competition; and Jimmy Bush was the Den 4 victor.

Winner of the play-off among the four winners was Gary Stephenson of Den 1.

After the races, refreshments were served.

### Abernathy Grabs District 2-AA Tennis Championship

Abernathy virtually scored a clean sweep in District 2AA tennis competition here last Thursday and Friday, winning everything except the high school junior division girls' singles and doubles.

In addition, the local competitors won both girls elementary (or Junior High) singles and doubles, and captured second place in the boys elementary doubles.

**Elementary Division**  
Abernathy's Jan Wilson won first place singles (6-0) (6-0), over Donna Carlisle of Olton, while Cindy Wilson and Jeraldine Evans defeated Suzan Norfleet and Nancy Buchanan, 6-2, 6-4, in the girls doubles event.

Jimmy Franklin was beaten in first-round play, 6-1, 6-0, by Olton's Joe Priest, who then defeated Tex Morren of Floydada for the title.

Abernathy's elementary boys' doubles, Pat Hale and Mike Tannahill, beat the Floydada team, 6-0, 6-1, but lost to Olton, 8-6, 6-4.

**Senior Division**  
Results of the high school division are as follows:  
Boys Singles — 1. Abernathy, (Mike Miller won over Olton and Muleshoe lads, then beat Glen Keulher of Morton, 6-0, 6-1, 6-1).

Boys Doubles — 1. Abernathy, (Eddie Davis and Danny West won over Olton and Muleshoe units, then won over Frank Barrow and Bill Hicks of Floydada, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4).

Girls Singles — 1. Abernathy, (Donna Webb over Olton, 6-0, 6-1, then drew a bye to the finals, winning over Kit Zimmerman of Floydada, 6-1, 4-6, 6-1).

Girls Doubles — 1. Abernathy, (Sherry Wilson and Martha Struve advanced to the finals by beating Olton 6-0, 6-3, then drawing a bye. They won over Floydada's Vickie O'Neal and Kay Bullock, 6-2, 7-5).

**Junior Division**  
Boys Singles — 1. Abernathy, (Bill Forbes won over Muleshoe, 6-3, 6-4, 7-9, 2-6, 7-5).

Boys Doubles — 1. Abernathy, (Barry Selke and Sandy Downs won over Muleshoe, 6-0, 4-6, 6-8, 6-3, 8-6).

Girls Singles — 1. Olton, (Georgianne Redinger over Floydada's Lucy Cogdell, 6-4, 7-5). Abernathy's Yvonne Bundick was beaten by Miss Cogdell 6-2, 6-1, in first-round play.

Girls Doubles — 1. Olton, (Pam Hair and Deanna McKnight over Lockney's Judy Johnson and Pat-sy Baxter, 6-0, 6-1). Linda Martino and Gloria Wade of Abernathy lost in first-round play to Olton, 6-0, 7-5.

**Volleyball Meet**  
Abernathy High School and Junior High volleyball teams were beaten out in the District Meet at Olton last Saturday. Both local teams were beaten by Olton units in first-round play.

Olton's high school team went on to win the District 2-AA crown.

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### Reas Make Trip To Big Bend

By O. F. REA

The long planned trip to the Big Bend Country finally materialized and Mrs. Rea and I took off at 2 p.m. Friday and spent the night at Fort Stockton. We were up early Saturday morning and off to Marathon, where we gassed up just for safety, and journeyed on down into the Big Bend Park.

We went east to Boquillas Canyon, then back to the Basin where we had dinner, and gassed up and went west to the Santa Elena Canyon. We then went back the thirteen miles over gravel road to the junction, and north out of the Park, then west by the new road to Presidio. This is paved and is a good road, though crooked, and has many steep hills and abrupt drops.

We passed both old towns of Terlingua a few miles apart and both abandoned. A few miles further we passed Shafter which had been a fair size mining town, but is now apparently abandoned. As we neared Presidio there was some irrigation in the narrow Rio Grande Valley and it looked very pretty from just a few feet above to some one or two hundred feet.

Tourist accommodations are rather limited in the park unless you are equipped for camping. If you are thus equipped there is all the

### Reid Chevrolet Given Award Of Merit By TADA

H. C. Pittman, executive vice president of the Texas Automobile Dealers Association in Austin has announced that Reid Chevrolet, authorized new car dealership in Abernathy, has earned an Award of Merit for their contribution to traffic safety through the lending of a Chevrolet automobile to Petersburg Independent School District. The award will be presented to this dealership by Mr. Leo Purvis, Superintendent, at an assembly program. This dealership has also furnished automobiles to Abernathy Independent School District and New Deal Independent School District.

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**AHS Failed To Place In District One-Act Play**

District 2-AA One-Act Play competition was held last Thursday at Floydada with the following schools entered: Abernathy, Floydada, Lockney, Morton, Muleshoe and Olton.

Floydada won the event with "Roomful of Roses," while Lockney was named alternate for their presentation of "The Taming of the Shrew."

Abernathy's presentation was "Shadow of a Dream." Those in the cast were: Leon Johnson, Dianne DuBose, Glenda Evans, Wanda Bridges and Harold Davis, with Evelyn Dye as stage manager.

Judge for the event was Robert Seales of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

**Class Favorites Selected At AJH**

Abernathy Junior High principal, Gid B. Adkisson, Jr., announced this week that Class Favorites were recently selected by members of the sixth, seventh and eighth grade classes.

Eighth grade favorites are: Cindy Shadden, daughter of Mrs. Leonita Shadden, and Lane Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wade.

Seventh grade favorites are: Frances Burnett, daughter of Mr.

**National FHA Week To Be Observed Here**

By EVELYN DYE  
F. H. A. Reporter

The local chapter of Future Homemakers of America is sponsoring a FHA Week starting Monday of next week. The various events scheduled are as follows:

**National FHA Week**  
Sunday Night—Church services at First Baptist Church; Mary Kay Berutti, chairman.

Monday—Teacher Appreciation Day; Kay Powell, chairman.

Tuesday—Style Show, 7:30 p.m. in the High School auditorium; Sara Bruce, chairman, assisted by Linda Miller. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Wednesday—Color Day; Pam Davis, chairman.

Thursday—FFA Day; Jane Apperson, chairman.

Friday—Father-Daughter Banquet, 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria; Angela Presley, chairman; Janie Hall, food committee; Rita Evans, decorations committee. Each girl is encouraged to bring her father to the banquet.

**Miss Duncan A. B. Simpson Marry Friday**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Duncan was the setting for the wedding of their daughter, Donna Kay Duncan, and A. B. Simpson, son of Mrs. Jack Wisdom of Abernathy, read at 6 p.m. Friday.

A double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Ed Jackson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Shallowater.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a white raw silk suit with a circled banded jacket topped with the slim skirt. She wore a small circle hat with a veil and carried a white carnation bouquet.

**Sister Is Honor Maid**

Miss Robbie Duncan, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a turquoise cotton satin dress designed with a flared softly pleated skirt. She wore a white carnation corsage.

Sherrell Lambert of Abernathy was the best man.

A reception in the home followed the ceremony.

For traveling, the bride wore a white suit and black patent accessories. They will reside at 3207 35th Street, Apt. F, Lubbock.

The bride graduated from Shallowater High School and attended Texas Tech. She is employed at City of Lubbock Corporation Court.

Her husband is a graduate of Abernathy High School and attended McNeese College, Lake Charles, La. He is employed by Bowman Builders Supply Co., in Lubbock.

**Cohman Dillinger Has Moved to Abilene**

He is employed by Lee's Sausage Company and will represent them in Abilene.

**Highlights From New Deal High**

The New Deal High School senior class is to present two one-act plays, "No Time For Skirts" and "Genius, Jr.," Friday evening March 30, in the New Deal gymnasium. The first play is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock, with musical presentations planned for between-plays entertainment.

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Those who will appear in "Genius, Jr." are: Judith Essary, Billy Ellison, Judy Akins, Larry McBride, Mary Ann Stansbury, Shirley French, Jimmy Cox, Earlene Worthan and Glynn Price.

Admission prices will be 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults. Class sponsors who are helping the seniors with the plays are Bob Willis, Mrs. Barbara Law and A. A. Chandler.

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Other teams in the meet will be Wilson, Cooper, Roosevelt, Shallowater and Southland.

The New Deal High School tracksters will compete in a track meet at Levelland Saturday, March 31, in preparation for the District Meet.

**Literary Events**

The District Literary Meet will be held at New Deal Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, April 6-7, announced A. A. Chandler, High School principal.

**TO WASHINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lutrick and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Phillips plan to leave Amarillo by plane Monday, April 2, for Washington, D. C. They will attend the annual meeting of the National Federation of Grain Cooperatives in the Mayflower Hotel. Events connected with the meeting will include a banquet with U. S. Representatives and another banquet with U. S. Senators from grain-producing States.

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**AHS Golfers In Hale Center Meet**

Six Abernathy High School golfers, coached by Curtis Davenport, participated in the first annual Hale Center Relays Golf Tourney last Friday, along with teams from nine other schools.

Olton won the event, with Hale Center coming in second. Abernathy placed 8th in the competition.

Abernathy lads, all beginners as far as golf is concerned, showed definite improvement each round, Coach Davenport stated. Their first-round team score was 219; second round was 207; and third round, 199.

**Abernathy Boys Participating In District Golf Meet**

The local lads will compete in the District Golf Meet at Muleshoe today (Thursday).

Mrs. Betty Adams was under treatment in a Plainview hospital.

Bob Drace, who has served as parts man at Struve Implement Company the past several years, is to begin work at Tuco April 1. Donnie Graham is now employed at the implement firm.

Rayford Owens of Shamrock visited here last weekend in the Raymond and Charles Ray Owens homes.

**Mrs. A. B. Reid Is W.S.C.S. Guest Speaker**

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at 2 p.m. Monday in the Methodist Church. The invocation was brought by Mrs. W. M. Medlin. Mrs. J. C. Mills led the prayer service, and the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

Mrs. A. B. Reid, guest speaker, presented a most interesting and educational report of the National Christian Conference held in New Orleans. The theme of the conference was "Be A Live One—Glow."

Benediction was given by Mrs. J. P. Nystel.

Those present were: Mmes. L. S. Wilson, J. P. Nystel, R. A. McAlister, Lee Echols, U. S. Sherrill, Paul Noland, J. C. Mills, R. V. Peoples, Donald Huffaker, Jack Barton, Elton Settle, Lewis Lutrick, Jackie Barton, R. R. Richter, J. M. Redwine, H. V. Davis.

M. M. Bell, John Forbes, Manna R. Struve, W. M. Medlin, Eva Benn, M. M. Evans, J. W. Davis, H. B. Coggin, A. H. Davis, F. A. Goebel, E. B. Lindsey, M. O. Hood, J. M. Gardner, W. A. Richter, Horace Davis and Mrs. Reid.

**District Conference**

Those from the local Methodist Church who attended the Northwest Texas Annual W.S.C.S. Conference in Lubbock March 21 and 22 were the pastor, Rev. H. B. and Mrs. Coggin, and Mmes. W. M. Medlin, J. B. McClure, L. A. Suttle, Paul Noland, Elton Settle, J. C. Mills, R. A. McAlister, Jackie Barton and L. S. Wilson.

Mrs. M. M. Bell, Reporter

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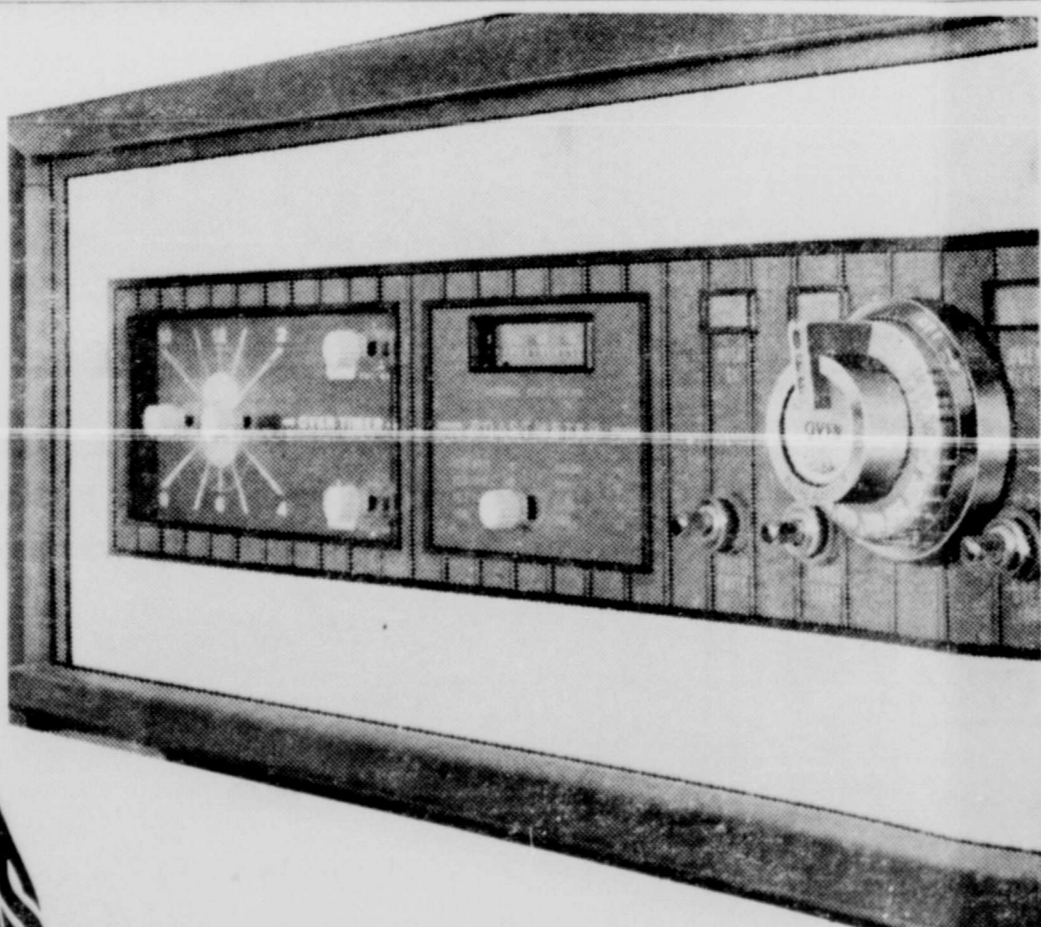
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## Lakeview News

Mrs. L. H. Johnson is in Altus, Okla., with a sister who is critically ill. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson reside with W. A. Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Timms returned late Saturday from El Paso where they visited her brother, Marvin Condra, who has been seriously ill but is improving. While there, Gordon attended the Scottish Rite reunion.

Mrs. Lawrence Amerson attended a birthday party in Idalou Club House Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Pearl Owens, who celebrated her 80th birthday. Mrs. Owens is an aunt of Lawrence and sister of Mrs. A. G. Amerson of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell of Mercedes visited in the S. M. Harrison home last week.  
Miss Ruth Middlebrooks of Shallowater was a guest in the Clayton Enger home Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Wingfield was honored at a Pink and Blue shower Friday in the home of Mrs. N. Matthews. Co-hostesses were Mmes. R. E. Anderson, E. L. McGaugh, Loren Neis and S. M. Harrison.

The honoree received many nice gifts. Twenty persons attended, and several who were unable to attend sent gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Milner visited friends in Brownfield Sunday.  
Mrs. E. G. Mahagan is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burton, in the Happy Union community.

Friends here have been advised of the illness, which has been diagnosed as leukemia, of Miss Laura Ann Riddle of Modesto, Calif. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Riddle who lived in this community before moving to California, and is a granddaughter of the late J. R. W. Brewer.

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## City Garden Club

The City Garden Club met last Thursday in the club room with Mrs. J. M. Gardner as hostess. There were 18 members present and one visitor.

A committee composed of Mmes. Wilson, Gardner and Myatt was appointed to work with the City Council on "Clean Up, Paint Up, and Litter Bug Trash Week."

Mrs. Shipman and Mrs. Gardner gave a very interesting report on the District I Meeting at Texas Tech last Tuesday, March 20. They also attended the Luncheon.

Mrs. Neis gave a talk on "How to build a fine lawn," which was helpful to all present.

Those attending were: Mmes. H. H. Seike, Ed Heath, S. R. Jackson, E. H. Beard, G. B. Adkisson Jr., Dewey Price, Harlow Neis, Ira Lee Harral, H. B. Coggin, M. M. Bell, T. O. Brown, L. S. Wilson, Floyd Shipman, T. A. Brewster, Orval Weak, H. H. Vineyard, J. C. Veach, and Mrs. Lee Echols was a visitor and the hostess Mrs. J. M. Gardner.

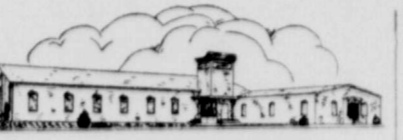
The next meeting will be April 13 in the club room. Mrs. Beard will be the hostess and Mrs. Vineyard will have charge of the program.

Mrs. T. A. Brewster, Reporter.

Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Fred.  
Rev. and Mrs. Paul Harrington of Truth or Consequences, N. M., Mrs. Charles Fuller and son of Los Cruces, N. M., Mrs. Bearden Chaney of Moriarty, N. M., and Clyde Ragland of El Paso were here to be with their mother, Mrs. Lemmie Ragland, who had major surgery in a Plainview hospital Thursday. Mrs. Ragland's condition is reported as satisfactory, and all the daughters and son have returned to their homes except Mrs. Chaney who will remain several days.

Lloyd Goldston rode with the Petersburg Riding Club in the ABC Rodeo parade in Lubbock last Wednesday.

Little Miss Tamara Nell Lyles of Lubbock is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. C. P. Loyd and family.



## News From The Church Of Christ

Each Sunday on channel 13 the Herald of Truth program can be seen at 8:30 a.m. This is a program for every age, and especially beneficial to those that are ill or unable to attend Bible classes.

**Gospel Meetings**  
Brother Bill Tally is the evangelist for the 5th & Lawrence Avenue Church of Christ in Anton this week, March 25-April 1. Services are at 8 p.m.

Southside Church will have a meeting April 1-8.  
Pioneer Park congregation opens their meeting April 1-8, each night at 7:30. P. D. Wilmeth of Tyler, Texas, author of several books concerning young people, will be the regular evangelist. In addition to the regular evangelistic services each evening there will also be classes for teenagers and parents. Bro. Wilmeth will teach a class for boys, and Sister Myrtle Thompson

of Dallas will teach a class for girls.

**Guests**  
We are expecting visitors from Camp Blue Haven (for boys) this coming Wednesday night, April 4. There will be slides shown after the service.

**Fellowship**  
A program April 6 at the Church of Christ Bible chair, West Texas State College is to be an annual Fellowship. The speaker will be Mr. Robert C. Jones. The evening meal in the college cafeteria starts at 6:30 followed by the program at 8:00 p.m.

Abernathy has several young people attending college there at this time.

**LCC Lectureship**  
"A Vision of Service for Young People" is the theme of the third annual Youth Lectureship to be held June 4-7 at LCC. All young people of the congregation, grades 7-12, have a special invitation to attend.

Programs will feature young people discussing topics of interest to them. Registration for the 4-day series is set for 2-5 p.m. Sunday, June 3. Total cost for room, board and fees is \$12.00. Wayne Hinds of LCC is director, Miss Rosemary Pledger, exper-

ience in summer camp work, is arranging special programs and events for the girls.

**Slaton Lectureship**  
The lectureship at Slaton is near, April 8-13. Brother Glenn Reagan of Abernathy will be one of many speakers. Brother Roy Verner will be expecting many local members to be present. Bro. Verner was our former minister.

**Thought For The Day**  
The happiest people in the world are those who are living for others.

## Texas Tech Band On Spring Tour

Highlighting concerts by the Texas Tech band during a five-day tour which began Monday are musical favorites ranging from "My Fair Lady" to Sousa's "Semper Paridis."

Among the 96 members in the concert band, is Horton Struve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arno Struve of Abernathy. The band was to make scheduled performances at Dallas, Richardson, Bowie, Wichita Falls, Memphis, Childress, Pampa and Amarillo.

Howard Clift was a patient in a Plainview hospital last week.

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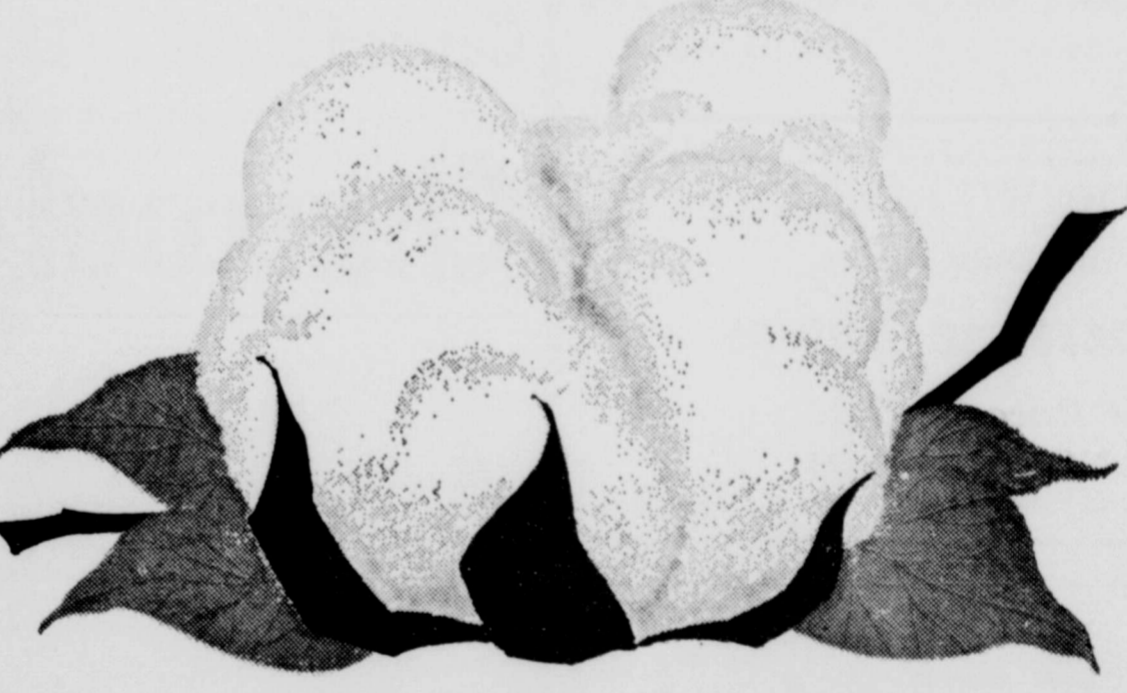
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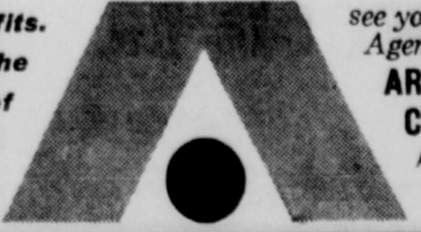
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## Demo Committee Resolution Asks Abolishment Of Hale County Superintendent's Office

The Hale County Democratic Executive Committee has ruled that the name of Wes Carpenter will be omitted from the ballot as a candidate for County school superintendent in the First Democratic Primary.

C. P. Elliott, chairman of the Democratic Committee, said the name of Carpenter is to be omitted "without prejudice," and that the committee voted for the omission on its interpretation of state statutes regarding qualifications of a county school superintendent.

Elliott said Carpenter in appearing before the committee said he was obtaining records of credits from colleges he had attended and expected to show qualifications required for one holding the office of school superintendent.

"As the situation now stands the name of Mr. Carpenter will not be printed on the First Democratic Primary ballot," Elliott said last week.

The motion to omit Carpenter's name was made by G. M. Carr and seconded by Oscar Allen. Voting "aye" were J. C. Eiring, T. A. Coker, Oscar Allen, G. M. Carr, John Thomas Boyd, W. Pinkerton and C. M. Haddick. C. G. Wendt voted "nay."

**Ask Office Be Abolished**  
The committee also unanimously adopted a resolution asking that the office of school superintendent be abolished in Hale County. The resolution reads as follows:

"Whereas the duties of the office of county superintendent of

schools have become so small as to render the office a useless burden on the taxpayers of Hale County and the state of Texas and

"Whereas the office space now being used by said office is needed for other purposes;

"Now therefore be it resolved that the Hale County Democratic Executive Committee urge the proper authorities to proceed without delay to commence legal proceedings to abolish the office of County superintendent of schools."

Mrs. Willie Merle Halthcock is Hale County superintendent of schools and is seeking re-election. Her name alone will appear on the ballot.

**Precinct Conventions**  
The Executive Committee set places and times for holding precinct conventions on May 5 as follows:

Courthouse, precinct 1, J. C. Eiring chairman, 8 p.m.; Happy Union 2, C. G. Wendt, 3 p.m.; Petersburg 3, T. A. Coker, 3 p.m.; Hale Center 4, J. Wade Davis, 7:30 p.m.; Cotton Center 5, Oscar Allen, 2 p.m.

North entrance City Auditorium 8, E. M. Ballengee, 8 p.m.; Abernathy 9, G. M. Carr, 4 p.m.; City Auditorium 10, John T. Boyd, 7:30 p.m.; Lakeview 11, S. M. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.; Halfway 12, C. W. Pinkerton, 7:30 p.m.; Edmondson 14, Leon Melton, 2 p.m.; and Ellen 15, C. M. Haddick, 2 p.m.

## Dallas To Host Texas Ginners' 49th Convention

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, John P. Duncan, Jr., will be the main speaker for the 49th annual Convention of the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association in Dallas April 1-3.

Association president R. L. Massey of Pilot Point announced plans for the convention program and exhibit of gin machinery, supplies and equipment which will be held in the Agricultural and

Varied Industries Building on the State Fair Grounds.

Massey said he expected over 6,000 ginners and their guests to attend the meeting. It is the largest gathering of ginning industry representatives in the world with over 90 exhibits valued at over two million dollars. The state organization represents cotton gin owners and operators from all cotton producing areas of Texas.

Assistant Secretary Duncan will speak on the afternoon of Monday, April 2. Special recognition will be given to R. K. "Rufe" Phillips, Texas' outstanding ginner of the year, Henry Wend-

land, Nueces County 4-H Club winner of the TCGA annual award for the state's top 4-H cotton producer; and over 100 ginners for accident free operation of their gins during the past season.

The all-breeds production tested sale is expected to be a highlight of the annual Swine Short Course to be held at Texas A & M College, April 2-3. T. D. Tankersley, Jr., extension swine specialist, says the sale will give the state's swine producers an opportunity to purchase animals for their breeding herds which have known records for producing meat

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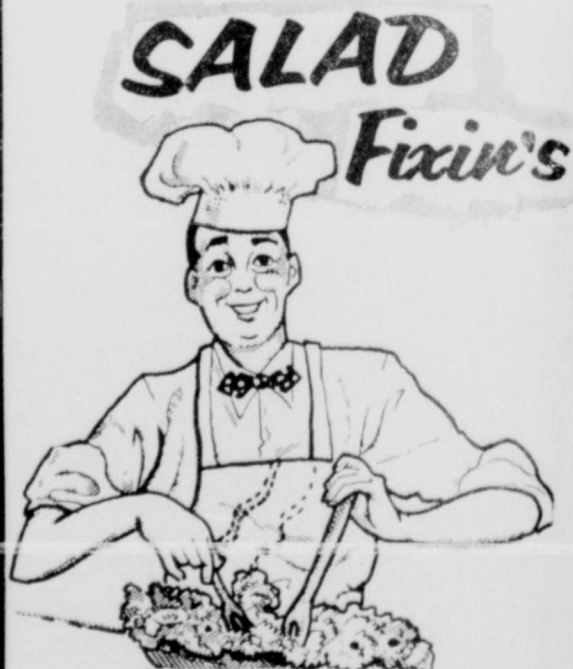
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LIONS CLUB NEWS



Program chairman of the day, Noel Johnson, turned the program over to his son, Jay, at the Lions Club's noon luncheon at Graham's Restaurant Tuesday.

Jay, a local Junior High student, presented three fine numbers on the piano, and then delivered a declamation presentation which he plans to use in Junior High division of the District Interscholastic Literary Meet to be held soon.

The presentation was entitled, "The Creation," by James Weldon Johnson, and according to Jay was originally a religious spiritual.

**Lioness Of Week**  
Miss Jane Apperson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Apperson, was presented by Lion Sweetheart Edwina Anderson as Lioness of the Week.

Jane is a member of the Antelope Band and the Pop Band; is a senior class representative; Library Club president; and is a member of the Student Council and the local FHA Chapter. She

also serves as an office secretary in the high school principal's office.

**Ladies Night**  
Plans for the annual Lions Club Ladies' Night are progressing. The event is slated for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, and will be held in the school cafeteria.

Members are urged to invite widows and widowers to the event as special guests.

Tickets may be purchased Friday night at the Pancake Supper, or may be purchased after that time from any Lions Club member at \$1.50 each.

A guest at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday was Louis Eggenberger of the Agriculture Department at Texas Tech.

**Next Week**  
Weldon Crow of Red River, N. M., a former Abernathy resident, will be on the program at the April 3rd Lions Club luncheon at Graham's. Crow, who owns and operates Casita Linda Lodge at Red River, will show a film on skiing in that area.

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